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With all the hopes of future years,
hanging breathless on thy fate!"

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SHIP'S LOG

Foreword

In offering this, 1951 BUCK, to the students, faculty, and friends of Carver College, we, the members of the Editorial Staff, have sincerely tried to maintain the high standards of the BUCK of the previous year and definitely hope that it will warrant the approbation of its readers.

The Editorial Staff realizes that it is you who have made this 1951 BUCK- you and the time you have spent here at Carver College. You are an integral part of this book. It was students like you in search of knowledge that instituted this college. It is your spirit that will keep it alive and active. And now, after two years of serious and diligent preparation toward assuming a position in life, you are leaving. It is the desire of the BUCK Staff that your 1951 BUCK will be a constant reminder of the personalities, the class-rooms, the activities-the spirit of college life you will never want to forget.

We are fully cognizant of the endeavors made by our director, Vernon A. Buck, Jr., our altruistic faculty, and the Administrative Secretary, who were instrumental in helping us survive the many vicissitudes and ramifications which adorn the road to progress.

We feel that these activities publicized here indicate one indelible fact: that another step toward cultural and intellectual achievement has been gained.

THE STAFF

Dedication

DR. ELMER H. GARINGER, Superintendent

Because of his infinite devotion to education, his continued striving for an integrated American culture, and his herculean strides in education, we, the editors, dedicate this year book to Dr. Elmer H. Garinger, in grateful acknowledgement.

The unanimous bestowal of this honor upon Dr. Garinger is a reflection of the high esteem in which he is held by the members of this graduating class. We sincerely believe that personal interest which he evinces in the welfare of Carver College surpasses what is required of him in this respect.

We treasure the influence that he has exerted upon our careers, both as educator and friend, and we take this singular opportunity to thank him for these efforts and make this dedication to him as a small token of our appreciation.

THE SHIP

S. S. Carver

Carver College has occupied a very unique position in its contribution to education since its incipience in 1949 under the direction of its first Director, Vernon A. Buck, Jr. This institution is faced with the gigantic responsibility of being the first Municipal Junior College for Negroes in North Carolina.

Today, the school is at the zenith of its development, offering courses in Liberal Arts, Business Administration, Secretarial Science, Pre-Engineering and Pre-Medicine. Concomitant with this, there is a teaching staff composed of members who are graduates from many of the distinguished schools in this country.

Carver College is exerting a considerable amount of influence upon the education of youth. Carver serves as a harbinger in preparing students for their cultural contributions and their places in society.

THE SHIP'S OFFICERS

Tribute To Our Captain

Director, VERNON A. BUCK, JR.

Our ever present source of encouragement. His truly practical guidance helped us to attain tranquility of heart and mind in the turbulent present and has given us fortitude to face the future. His concilatory manner, effervescent personality, and his dynamic administrative abilities have made him an asset to our Alma Mater.

First Mate

ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

Mrs. Eutrilla Spencer, Secretary to the Director, is shown above instructing James L. Thompson about the correct procedure of registration.

Instructors

CALVIN ATCHINSON

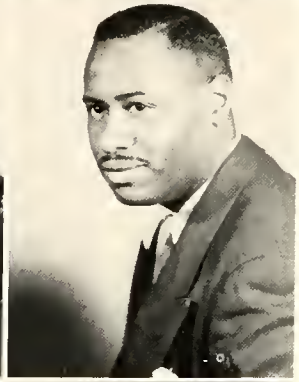
A.B. Alabama A & M College
M.A. Columbia University
Toward Ph. D. Columbia
Testing and Guidance

RUTHA M. COCROFT

A.B. Howard University
Toward M.A. Howard University
English

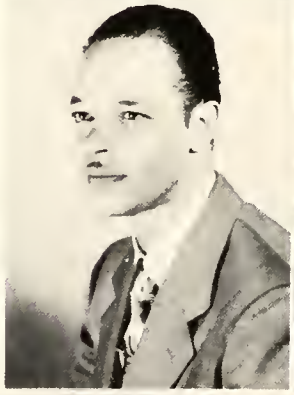
LAURA M. BOOTON

B.S. Hampton Institute
Shorthand, Typing



ARTHUR BROWN

B.S. Hampton Institute
Cornell, Arch. Engr.
Engineering Drawing



VERNON A. BUCK JR.

A.B. Morehouse College
M.S. New York University
Retailing

KENNETH H. DIAMOND

B.S. Shaw University
Toward M.A. Columbia University
French

EDWARD H. BROWN

A.B. Johnson C. Smith
M.A. Columbia University
Univ. of Michigan
New York University
Toward Ph. D. Columbia Univ.
Biological Sciences

EDWARD J. HIGH

B.S. M.A. Columbia Univ.
Toward Ph. D. Teachers College
Columbia University
Business Administration

Instructors

RICHARD H. JEFFERSON

A. B. Fisk University
Atlanta University
Ohio State University
Harvard University
University of Calcutta, India
M. S. North Carolina
Toward Ph. D. Univ. of Wisconsin
English

EUTRILLA SPENCER

Toward B. S. C. Ed.
North Carolina College
Administrative Secretary

LOUIS LEVI

B. S. Talladeega College
M. S. Univ. of Minn.
Chemistry

CECILIA R. TROTTIE

A. B. Johnson C. Smith University
University of Penn.
M. A. New York University
Social Science and Economics

SAMUEL A. MOORE

A. B. Johnson C. Smith University
M. A. Columbia University
Toward Ph. D. Columbia Univ
French

ARTHUR WILSON

B. S. Johnson C. Smith University
Driver's Education

PENNY PERRY

A. B. Shaw University
Hampton School of Lib. Sc.
NCC School of Lib. Sc.
M. S. Univ. of Michigan
Librarian

JOHN A. DAVIS

B. S. North Carolina College
Toward M. S. Atlanta Univ.
University of Illinois
Physics

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THE CREW MEMBERS

ALEXANDER BEATTY

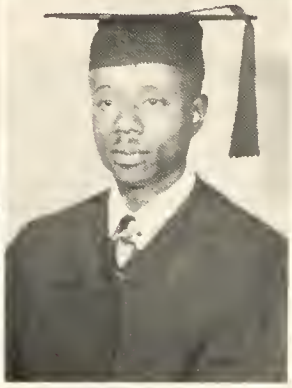
Ambition: to be a successful businessman
Hobby: Billiards
Major: Business Administration

MARY E. CANNON

Ambition: To be a success
Hobby: Dancing
Major: Liberal Arts

CARUSO BELL

Ambition: To be a success
Hobby: Tennis
Major: Liberal Arts



DOUGLAS EVANS JR.

Hobby: Music
Ambition: Scientist
Major: Liberal Arts

COLEMAN BLAKENEY

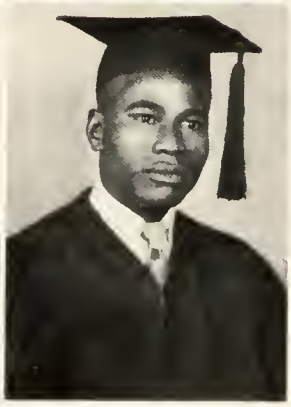
Ambition: To be a success in my field
Hobby: Billiards
Major: Pre-Engineering

CHARLES HARRIS

Ambition: Civil Service Worker
Hobby: Photography
Major: General Business

WALTER W. BROWN

Ambition: Chemist
Hobby: Music, Basketball, Tennis
Major: Liberal Arts



ODELL HOOVER

Ambition: to be a successful businessman
Hobby: Sports
Major: Business Administration

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KATHLEEN W. HUGHES

Hobby: Tennis and Movies
Ambition: Stenographer
Major: General Business

WARREN McKISSICK

Ambition: Business Administration Teacher
Hobby: Music and Sports

ERVING JOHNSON

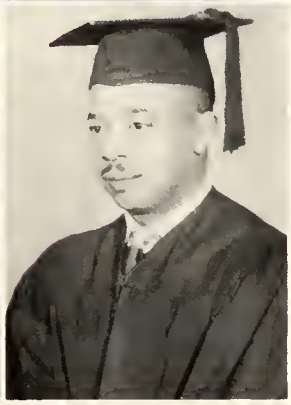
Ambition: To be a success
Hobby: Reading
Major: General Business

ESTELLE McRAE

Ambition: Nursing
Hobby: Sports
Major: Pre-Medicine

PAULINE V. LEAKE

Ambition: Elementary School Teacher
Hobby: Sewing
Major: Elementary Education



WILLIAM MOORE

Ambition: Business-man
Hobby: Billiards
Major: Business Administration

JUANITA E. LONG

Hobby: Golf and Tennis
Ambition: Stenographer
Major: General Business

KENNETH NORTON

Ambition: Realtor
Hobby: Drawing
Major: Business Administration

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AURELIA PRATT

Ambition: School Teacher
Hobby: Philately
Major: Elementary Education

ANNIE M. SHADD

Ambition: Secretary
Hobby: Sports
Major: General Business

CHARLES R. PRAYLOR

Ambition: To be a good engineer
Hobby: Drawing
Major: Pre-Engineering

ANITA SHROPSHIRE

Ambition: Secretary
Hobby: Singing
Major: General Business

WILLIE L. RAINEY

Ambition: Home Economics Teacher
Hobby: Movies and Sports
Major: Home Economics Education

JULIA SIMMONS

Ambition: To be a success
Hobby: Reading
Major: Business Administration

EUGENE SANDERS

Ambition: To be a success
Hobby: Football
Major: Liberal Arts

ROBERT SIMMONS

Ambition: Public Accountant
Hobby: Hiking
Major: Business Administration

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JAMES L. THOMPSON

Ambition: T. L. R.
Hobby: Singing
Major: Liberal Arts

MAE LENORA VAUGHN

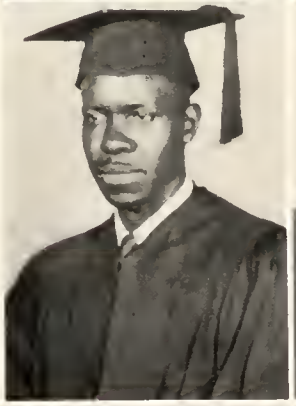
Ambition: Laboratory Technician
Hobby: Singing and Reading
Major: Pre-Medicine

LILLIAN R. WALKER

Ambition: Elementary School Teacher
Hobby: Reading, Writing for Publication
Major: Liberal Arts

JEAN I. WALLACE

Ambition: General Business Teacher
Hobby: Reading
Major: General Business



JOHN WARD, JR.

Ambition: Salesman
Hobby: Sports
Major: Business Administration

JAMES R. WEDDINGTON

Ambition: Businessman
Hobby: Golf
Major: Liberal Arts

GEORGE R. WHITE

Ambition: To be a successful doctor
Hobby: Bowling
Major: Pre-Medicine

Class President's Message

TO THE SENIOR CLASS

Two years ago we started down an unpaved road, paving the way for others to follow. The fork of the road is coming into sight. We must turn off and leave the task to those who come after us. As we begin to make that turn one thought is uppermost in our minds.

> We have reached a momentous milestone of the journey of Carver College, from a flickering ideal in the brains of a few, to a glittering reality in the hearts of many, and in future years may we truthfully say, --"Carver College serves this community and the community loyally supports Carver College."

This thought expressed by the first BUCK STAFF, reflects the spirit of the pioneer students and portrays a shining standard to the students who will pass this way.

I know that the road was rough and rocky; but our instructors have been great helpers and guides. They have kindled faith and confidence in all. Their untiring efforts have enabled us to face an uncertain future with the confidence that we have reached an important milepost in our quest for training for the abundant life.

We are stepping into a world that is rapidly changing. The training received here should be of tremendous aid in meeting this great challenge. It is not difficult to foresee that many of my fellow classmates will attain positions of eminence in their chosen lines of endeavor. There is no short cut to success.

> Let us, then be up and doing,
> With a heart for any fate;
> Still achieving, still pursuing,
> Learn to labor and to wait.

It is an honor and a privilege to have led this first graduating class of Carver College, and I am humbly grateful for all the co-operation which we were given. In closing, may I thank each and every one of you. My earnest hope is that you may have a full, happy and successful life.

George R. White
CLASS PRESIDENT

DECK ACTIVITIES

Senior Class Officers

Mr. Edward High ..... Advisor
Miss Mary Cannon ..... Secretary
Mr. Warren McKissick ..... Treasurer
Mr. Robert Mackey ..... Vice-President
Mr. James Weddington ..... Parlimentarian
Miss Mae Lenora Vaughn ..... Assistant Secretary
Mr. George R. White ..... President

Class History

On the 19th of September, 1949, thirty-five pioneers launched upon the sea of education at port of debarkation, Carver College. Looking into the eager and determined educational faces of the crew, Captain Vernon A. Buck, officer in charge, saw the opening of new opportunities for handicapped or working persons seeking a future. Looking back over the past twelve years of weathering the storms of study, the crew felt buxom, hale and hearty, ready for any obstructive encounter they might face in this new venture.

Thus, this was the beginning of Carver College with its first class, co-ed of course.

Speaking of obstacles, the first one was in the form of placement examination. We "bucked" this fury with perfect ease and soon set up a colony on the sands of the future--a form of government. This included the House of Representatives, the Student Council, the Presidential Cabinet, and Freshman Class officers. The Presidential Cabinet was as follows: Alexander Beatty, President; James L. Thompson, Vice-President; Mary E. Cannon, Secretary; and Warren McKissick, Treasurer. The officers in the House of Representatives were: Kenneth Norton, President; Juanita Long, Vice-President; Aurelia Pratt, Secretary; and Erving Johnson, Treasurer.

With the installation of officers completed, we settled down to a routine of construction for quarters to come by digging in encyclopedias, dictionaries, text and reference books in an effort to lay a firm foundation. A little relief was given us at several social functions scattered over the term. Every society has its clubs, so here was introduced the Carvets, a selected group of men.

Misery always likes company; therefore, when quite a few new students came in the second quarter, everyone felt relieved. These newcomers were welcomed with an acquaintance party.

Our patriotism soared at this point, which brought about the writing of the school song, "Stand Up for Carver," words by Robert E. Mackey and music by Professor Samuel A. Moore. Now the news had to be circulated. Thus was marked the birth of the "Carver Chronicle," a quarterly newspaper. Here also was introduced the "Buck," the ever popular Carver Yearbook. The ladies decided to do their bit for their society, so they organized a club known as "The Doe's" to further their aims and projects, mainly to better school spirit.

In the spring our spirits rose as the weather broke. Our May Day festival was a gala event as has ever been seen. Miss Martha McClinton was crowned May Queen for selling the highest number of votes. This festivity portrayed thanksgiving of the past year and hope for the new. The school prom was a prelude of the climax of our first year of progress. The final episode was the election of sophomore officers for the next term, thus paving the way for a lame duck session. They were the same as the previous year, with the exception of the President and Vice President. In the Student Council and Class Officers, James Weddington, President; Cnarles Harris, Vice President; Class Officers, George White, President; and Robert Simmons, Vice President. After a quiet restful summer, we again faced the mad rush for registration on September 19, 1950.

In the din of excitement, we lost a very competent instructor, Mrs. Marguerite Adams. For every loss there is a gain. Ours was Mrs. C. R. Trottie, social science instructor. The highlighted activity of our first business meeting was the installation of officers, followed by weeks of hard work. Under the coaching of Professor K. H. Diamond, our first basketball team was organized.

At the beginning of the second quarter, we lost another instructor, Mr. R. H. Jefferson,, whose memory we will always revere; however, we gained Mrs. Rutha M. Cocroft who immediately won a place in our hearts. Valentine Day afforded us a great outlet from study, strain and tenseness. It went off with a bang and cupid truly played his part.

Well, May Day was here again and each of us had absorbed an exuberance of joy and expectation, shown with the vim and vigor that seemed to exude from our very persons.

The feelings of joy and sorrow were clashing at this time; joy over having completed our requirements, and sorrow at the thought of leaving our pals and schoolmates. The very walls of Carver seemed to droop and sag over losing its pioneer companions; nevertheless, those two years were the greatest we ever knew. There is no price we can ever pay. Venimus, vidimus, vicimus, (we came, we saw, we conquered). Farewell, Alma Mater.

Warren McKissick

Class Prophecy

As I met seniors in the corridors, a sad gloomy appearance met me, naturally I inquired why. In reply, I was told that this class, about to go forth into the world and realizing that life is full of surprises, dangers and pitfalls, desired to know just what the future holds in store. My business which has been Crystal Gazing for a long time, made it only natural that they should ask me to use my talent for the class's benefit. Upon their insistance, I dusted off my crystal, and proceeded to gaze about ten years in the future. What I saw was astonishing and I hesitated to relate it. The first vision to appear was that of a city in France, the year 1962. My eyes followed the apparition, which led me to a beautiful young woman who was head of the French Women's Association. Her name was Madam Jean Wallace. As I gazed in amazement the vision faded. Almost as quick as a flash, I faced the luxurious office in the Metropolitan Building, New York City. There I beheld our beloved Pauline Leake, working as a secretary to Ralph Bunche, United Nations Representative. This scene left me speechless. As I pondered I could see the world's largest shoe factory. I stopped and decided to call on my old classmate, Warren McKissick, President of the Neolite Continental Factory. As I entered the office, I was speechless again. For there as his personal secretary and lovely wife was Erving Johnson, who was talking on the telephone to her handsome twin sons. I wanted to congratulate them hut before I could form a word, I was walking along the corner of Hollywood and Vine. I paused for a moment to look at the inscription on the large skyscraper. On it was this name plate--"White's Laboratory and Medical Center, George White, President." As I lowered my head to meet someone calling to me, I was amazed to find Lenora Vaughn and Hortense McRae who were on the executive board at the Center. While I chattered with them about the old school days, they asked me to visit Billy Moore and Mary Cannon who are happily married and residing in Tulsa, Oklahoma where Mr. Moore has a business as a miner. The next scene showed me a street in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. As I looked from right to left a sign caught my attention. There before my eyes read "Long and Simmons Women's Shop." I saw lovely Willie Rainey and handsome Jackson Womble modeling beach ensembles. By the time I regained consciousness again, I was standing before Beatty's Concert Hall where the famous pianist, Walter Brown was to make an appearance. There I talked to the owners, Alexander Beatty and John Ward. Douglass Evans and his concert band has just left. They are enroute to Hollywood where they have a five year contract with RCA. As I left the office, I picked up a copy of the Philadelphia Gazette where I read the following announcements:

> Kathleen Hughes, secretary at Robert Simmons' Business School, is expecting a blessed event in the near future.
>
> Aurelia Pratt is vacationing in Paris where she is the bride of a great French Artist.

Once again the scene changed. I was slowly driving along Western Avenue enroute to Country Club Lane, Sugar Hill, Los Angeles to visit my old pal Kenneth Norton when I felt a quick breeze. I turned around and saw James Thompson, Caruso Bell, Charles Harris in a Cadillac with their secretary, Annie M. Shadd. When I reached the lane, the first persons I saw were Wardell Ellis and John Houston out taking a sun bath on the patio. It's really wonderful. Imagine my surprise when I looked up and saw Odell Hoover, Charles Praylor and James Weddington who are all employed by 20th Century Fox. The spell broke and I was suddenly surrounded by darkness. I awakened and wondered if it is better for a person to remain totally ignorant of the future. The belief still remains that where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise.

Last Will and Testament

State of North Carolina
County of Mecklenburg
City of Charlotte

of the
CARVER COLLEGE GRADUATING
CLASS of 1951

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

We, the class of 1951, while still being of sound mind and body, hereby declare this to be our last will and testament.

To our Director, the administrative staff and the various faculty members, we bequeath our undying gratitude and appreciation for their devotion to education, their patience and genuine paternal-like personal interest in our welfare.

To the entire body of lower-classmen we leave a long record of achievements to be emulated.

Aurelia Pratt wills to Dorothy M. Gabriel, her English Literature book with the hope that she will succeed in becoming a master of English Literature.

Alexander Beatty wills to Jessie Wise his business ability.

Pauline Leake wills her modest charm to Lois Norton.

Warren McKissick wills his ability to say the right thing at the proper time to Zola Mae Garrett.

Charles Harris wills his shorthand book to Luella Ross with the hope that she succeeds in taking dictation and transcribing accurately.

Wardell Ellis wills to Leon Orr his accounting ability.

Erving Johnson wills to Grace Henderson her sincere hope for success at Carver.

James Thompson wills to Willie M. Rainey his ability to understand.

Mae L. Vaughn wills her modesty to Elizabeth McCullough.

Odell Hoover wills to Robert Richmond his love for Carver.

John Houston wills to James Phifer his ability to succeed in accounting.

Douglas Evans wills to Connie Patton his dignity and understanding.

Lillian R. Walker wills to Alice King her ability to be more on the quiet and sociable side of life.

Jean I. Wallace wills to Grace Henderson her accounting seat.

Kenneth W. Norton wills to Clarence Bellamy his tracks through the dust of the door to the accounting laboratory with the hope that those tracks will be steps of future success.

Coleman Blakeney wills to Wilbur Stinson "the privilege" of getting all of the knowledge and all of the understanding that Carver can offer.

James R. Weddington wills to Carrie McCullough his ability to make friends.

George R. White wills to Margaret Cooper his blend of elevated thoughts, that she may be victorious in all her earthly problems.

Juanita Long wills to Edith Hill her pleasing personality and typing ability.

Caruso Bell wills to Doris Bell his sincere hope for her success in all undertakings.

Estell McRae wills to Laura Caldwell her ability to govern herself and not be persuaded by the governing powers of others so easily.

Julia Simmons wills to Alice Means her lady-like ways and charming personality.

Jackson Womble wills to Elmo Quinn his ability to be prompt.

Annie M. Shadd wills to Eugene Randolph her ability to study.

Charles Praylor will his artistic ability to John Hunter.

Mary Cannon wills her benign manner to Floyd Briscoe.

Charles McKee wills his quietness to Thomas McGee.

Eugene Sanders wills his speaking ability to "Pop" Brown.

Robert Simmons wills to Robert Harrison his accounting set.

Anita L. Shropshire wills to Beulah Owens her wittiness.

John Ward wills all freshmen success and happiness in the future at Carver.

In witness whereof, we, the class of 1951, have set our hand and seal unto this, our last will and testament this Eleventh day of June, Anno Domini, One Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-one.

Kenneth W. Norton

Superlatives

"Most Ambitious"
LILLIAN WALKER
JAMES WEDDINGTON

"Most Dignified"
PAULINE LEAKE
KENNETH NORTON

"Most Carefree"
PRAYLOR, CANNON, HUNTER
SIMMONS AND SANDERS

Superlatives

"Friendliest"
CARUSO BELL
ESTELLE McRAE

"Most Businesslike"
AURELIA T. PRATT
WARREN McKISSICK

"Most Artistic"
JEAN I. WALLACE
CHARLES R. PRAYLOR

Superlatives

"Most Athletic"
ESTELLE McRAE
WALTER W. BROWN

"Most Scientific"
LENORA M. VAUGHN
GEORGE R. WHITE

"Best Dressed"
DOUGLAS EVANS
MARY CANNON

Superlatives

"Best-All-Round"
WARREN McKISSICK
MARY CANNON

"Most Studious"
LILLIAN WALKER
GEORGE R. WHITE

"Most Dramatic"
PAULINE LEAKE
GEORGE WHITE

THE CREW MEMBERS

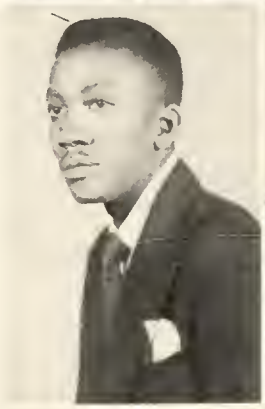
Freshmen

J. W. ALEXANDER

Major: Business Administration

DORIS J. BELL

Major: Pre-Medicine



RAY ARDREY

Major: Business Administration

L. L. BLAKENEY

Major: Business Administration

THOMAS BAILEY

Major: Business Administration

CLAUDE BOYD

Major: Business Administration

CLARENCE H. BELLAMY

Major: Business Administration

THOMAS BRYANT, JR.

Major: Business Administration

Freshmen

LEWIS E. CLAWSON

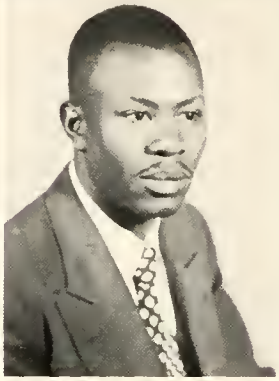
Major: Liberal Arts

DOROTHY GABRIEL

Major: Liberal Arts

MARGARET COOPER

Major: General Business



JAMES W. GAITHER

Major: Pre-Engineering

WILLIAM CRAWFORD

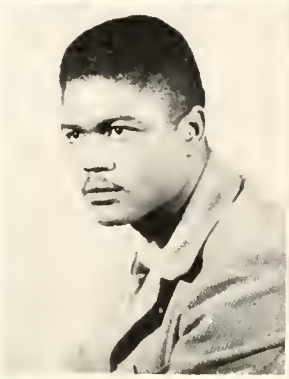
Major: Business Administration

ZOLA GARRETT

Major: English

PERCY FOXX

Major: Liberal Arts



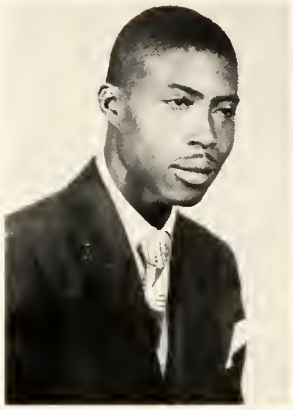
ELIZABETH GILLIARD

Major: General Business

Freshmen

WILLIAM GRIER

Major: Business Administration



EDITH HILL

Major: General Business

COLUMBUS HAMMONDS

Major: Business Administration

JOHN HUNTER

Major: Business Administration

ROBERT HARRISON

Major: Pre-Medicine

WRIGHT HUNTER, JR.

Major: Pre-Medicine

GRACIE HENDERSON

Major: General Business

ALICE KING

Major: Liberal Arts

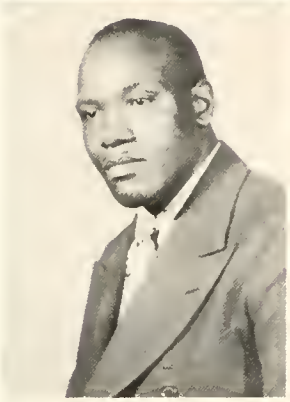
Freshmen

WILBERT LISTON

Major: Liberal Arts

ELIZABETH McCULLOUGH

Major: General Business



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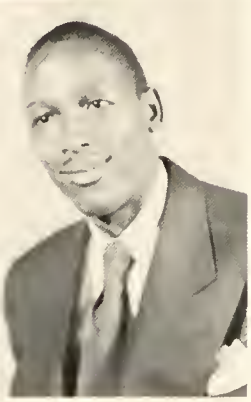

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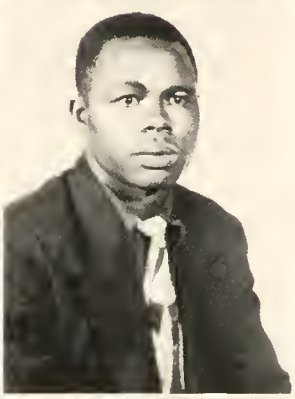

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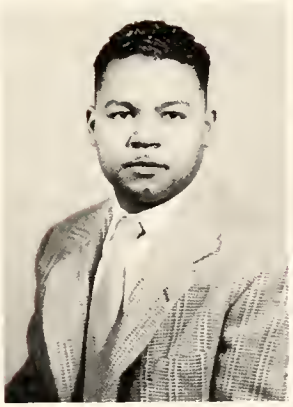

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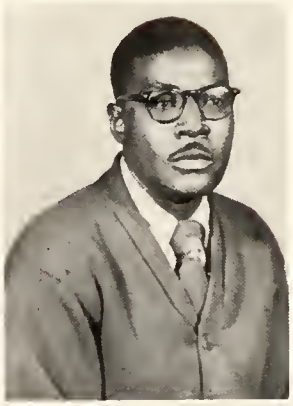

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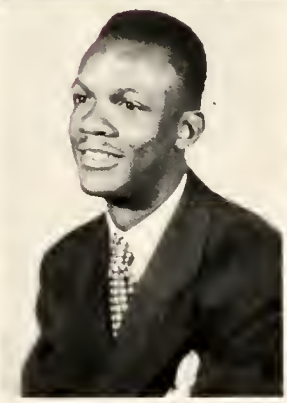

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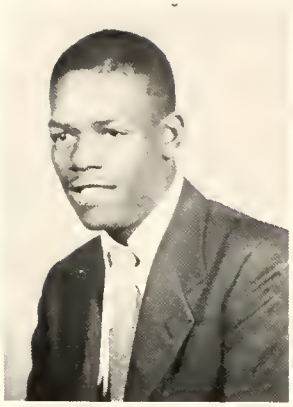

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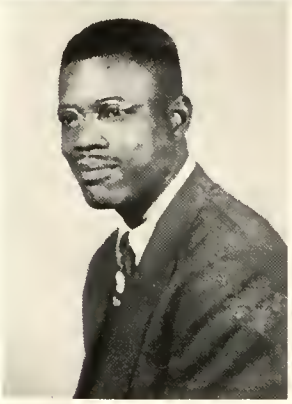

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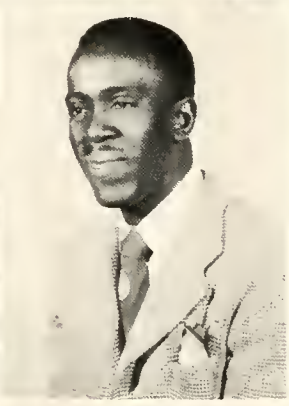

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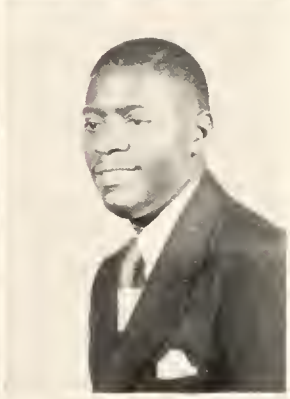

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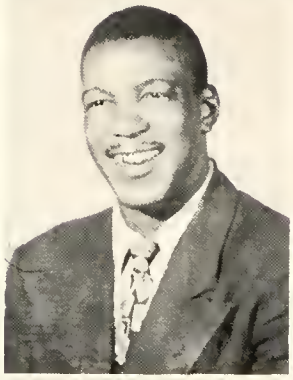

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Freshman Class Officers

Left to right: Mrs. Cecilia Trottie, Advisor, Mr. Wilbur Stinson, Treasurer, Mrs. Lillian Walls and Mr. Leonard Spencer, Co-Chairman of the Social Activity Committee, Miss Carrie McCullough, Assistant Secretary, Mr. Clarence Bellamy, President, Miss Laura Caldwell, Secretary, and Mr. Floyd Briscoe, Vice-President.

To the Senior Class:

Congratulations! It has been an honor and a pleasure to follow in your footsteps and carry on the great task of making Carver a reality. We are proud to have known you and happy that we have grafted from you the spirit of perserverance. Our association with you has been most blissful and beneficial. From your torch we have received a light that will guide us to a better understanding; your flaming spirit of ambition has been kindled in our hearts. May Dame Fortune smile pleasantly upon all of you and may all your dreams become realities.

I am sure that my fellow classmates possess the same determined spirit as I. We will not falter in our purpose. We will cherish the thoughts of your splendid achievements and strive to make our accomplishments equal yours.

GOOD LUCK AND GODSPEED!

Clarence H. Bellamy
President, Freshman Class

Academic

THE HONOR SOCIETY

The aims of the Honor Society are the promotion of scholarship, the encouragement of a high standard of character, and the recognition of high attainment in related fields. Only those students maintaining "A" or "B" averages are eligible for participation. Members are, from left to right: Robert Richmond, Charles R. Praylor, Lillian Walker, James L. Thompson, Lillian Walls, Gracie Henderson, Willie L. Rainey, Mae Lenora Vaughn, Aurelia Pratt, Wilbur O. Stinson, James Weddington, Thomas Cuthbertson, George R. White, Robert Simmons, Hazil B. McManus and Clarence H. Bellamy.

The Class Of Typists

CLASS IN TYPING

Under the direction of Mr. Edward J. High, this terminal, two-year course leads to the Associate of Arts degree in General Business.

CLASS IN SHORTHAND

Mrs. Laura M. Booten dictates while her enthusiastic students take notes verbatim. As a result of this course the student will know or be able to have a broader shorthand vocabulary through the introduction of varied dictation matter.

DECK ACTIVITIES

Happy Motoring At Carver

Mrs. Goldwyn F. Moore proudly accepts her driving license after successfully completing her instructions under the guidance of Mr. Arthur Wilson.

Student Council

Student participation in the direction of student affairs is strongly encouraged at Carver College. The Student Council is the representative policy-making and advisory body for students at Carver. General elections are held in May of each year.

Members of the Council are: Left to right, Aurelia Pratt, Miss Penny Perry, Advisor, Mae Lenora Vaughn, Estelle McRae, Erving Johnson, Matthew Sigler, Lillian Walker, Walter Brown, Back Row; James Weddington, President and Jackson Womble.

Annual Staff

THE BUCK STAFF

Under the guidance of Mrs. Rutha M. Cocroft, English instructor, the Yearbook staff meets to clear up editorial, art, and business complications that naturally grow out of the publication of a school Annual. Annie M. Shadd has called her staff together for last minute check-ups. Beside Editor-in-Chief Shadd, (seated at left) are Clarence H. Bellamy, Robert Simmons, George White, Inez Wallace, Kenneth W. Norton, Wilbur O. Stinson, Charles R. Praylor, Warren McKissick, Lillian Walls and Leonard Spencer.

Newspaper Staff

THE CARVER CHRONICLE STAFF

The official student publication of Carver is the Carver Chronicle. The Chronicle has enjoyed an interesting and prosperous career. This prestige and prosperity culminated in the independent and capable editorship of Mae Lenova Vaughn and her staff Mrs. Rutha M. Cocroft is the faculty advisor. The Chronicle is ever seeking to mirror in clarity, express in sincerity, the will and attitude of the student body it is entrusted to serve.

Music

OUR LOVELY SONGTRESS

Carver's lovely Gloria Jones delightfully warbles one of her favorite arias at one of Carver's festivals.

CARVER'S ACE CROONER

Hearts flutter and co-eds swoon as suave Robert Richmond, Carver's answer to Robert Merrill, softly chants a familiar air.

Dramatic Club

THE DRAMATIC GUILD

The Dramatic Guild organized under the guidance of Mrs. Rutha Cocroft, faculty advisor, is an organization composed of those students interested in the study and presentation of drama. Any student may become a member of the Guild by passing the try-outs held each quarter.

Play

"PERILS OF PAULINE"

Pauline Leake and Matthew Sigler capably display their dramatic ability in one of Carver's dramatic presentations. Defiant Sigler stubbornly ignores Pauline's pleas for forgiveness and reconciliation.

Carver's Speech Choir

"The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want, -----

These words of the Twenty-third Psalm dance lightly and harmoniously from the lips of the speech choir, who are also members of the Public Speaking Class. The Choir is composed of three Sopranos, three Altos, three Tenors and three Basses. Under the guidance of Mr. Richard H. Jefferson, these voices were blended into one harmonious aria.

Queen Martha

LONG LIVE QUEEN MARTHA I

Queen Martha's lovely ladies-in-waiting daintily curtsey in humble adoration to their beautiful queen. Left to Right: Erving Johnson, Pauline Leake, Queen Martha I, Estelle McRae, Mary Cannon.

CARVER'S MAY FESTIVAL

The ladies-in-waiting and courtiers of the May Court smile approvingly as the newly crowned King and Queen reign majestically over Carver's gay May Festival.
Left to right, Erving Johnson, Warren McKissick, Pauline Leake, James Weddington, King-- Kenneth Norton, Queen-- Martha McClinton, George White, Estelle McRae, William Moore, and Mary Cannon.

Shipping New Crew Officers

Doctor J. S. Nathaniel Tross delivers a stirring and uplifting address at the second inaugural program for Carver officers. Seated left to right are Clarence Bellamy, Freshman Class President, George White, Sophomore Class President, Kenneth Norton, Master of Ceremonies, Attorney Thomas Wyche, who administered the oath, Reverend Coleman Kerry of Friendship Baptist Church who gave the benediction, and James R. Weddington, President of the Student Council.

Organizations

THE CARVER COLLEGE DOES

The Does through their functions and activities tend to practice the policy of democracy, self expression, cooperation and participation. Realizing the increasing complexity of the purpose of cultivating ethical standards among college students, keeping alive the interest in college life, and the progressive movements emanating therefrom, the Does organized with the avowed purposes of improving the social status of Carver students, and raising moral standards. Officers: President, Aurelia Pratt; Vice-President, Estell McRae, Mr. Edward J. High, Advisor.

Club

THE CARVETS OF CARVER COLLEGE

The Carvets of Carver College have worked assidiously toward bringing a better understanding, both socially and intellectually, among the students at Carver and the citizens of Charlotte. Consisting of veterans of the last war, this group has been instrumental in perpetuating the ideals of Carver. The officers for the year 1950-51 are as follows: James R. Weddington, President; Robert Richmond, Vice-president; George R. White, Secretary; William Grier, Assistant Secretary; Jackson Womble, Treasurer.

Sports

Basketball

BASKETBALL AT CARVER

The first basketball team was organized under the direction of Pilot Kenneth Diamond. This is a big step forward in the organizing of athletics at Carver.

JOURNEY'S END

Alma Mater

Words by
Robert Mackey

Music by
Samuel A. Moore

Stand up for Carver, brave and true
Our loyalty we pledge to you.
When we are gone, so far to roam,
We'll think of Carver as our home.

CHORUS

C-A-R-V-E-R
Lift your voices in a cheer,
C-A-R-V-E-R
Our Alma Mater dear.

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